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SUBJ: EXTRADITION OF MURDER SUSPECT

REF: 29 MAY MESSAGE SINGAPORE POLICE TO INTERPOL, WASHDC

SHAU TONG CHIN, MALAYSIAN CITIZEN, CURRENTLY BEING HELD BY SINGAPORE POLICE PENDING FORMAL REQUEST FROM EMBASSY FOR EXTRADITION TO US. POLICE WILL RELEASE SUBJECT 30 MAY 6:00PM UNLESS FORMAL REQUEST RECEIVED BY THAT TIME. SUBJECT IS WANTED BY CALIF AUTHORITIES FOR TWO COUNTS MURDER. SFPD WARRANT #168144. SUBJECT ALSO WANTED ON FEDERAL CHARGE OF UNLAWFUL FLIGHT --FEDERAL WARRANT ISSUED SAN FRANCISCO 17 APRIL, HOWEVER, SINGAPORE POLICE AFTER CONSULTATION WITH THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE, ADVISE THAT UNLAWFUL FLIGHT NOT REPEAT NOT AN EXTRADITABLE OFFENSE. EMBASSY URGENTLY REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO MAKE FORMAL EXTRADITION REQUEST TO SINGAPORE MFA. SAN FRANCISCO DA SHOULD BE INFORMED IMMEDIATELY AND ASKED WHETHER HE DESIRES EXTRADITION ON CALIF MURDER CHARGES. NOTED THAT A-26 FROM DEPT MAY 1969 REPORTS US GOVERNMENT CONSIDERS THE EXTRADITION TREATY BETWEEN US AND UK SIGNED LONDON 22 DEC, 1931, TO BE IN FULL EFFECT BETWEEN US AND SINGAPORE. REPEAT SINGAPORE POLICE WILL RELEASE SUBJECT 30 MAY 6:00 PM UNLESS FORMAL EXTRADITION REQUEST FROM EMBASSY TO MFA RECEIVED BY THAT TIME. CRONK

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